

January Official Tide Tables

Compiled by the U. S. Government for Astoria and Vicinity.

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PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Markets.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce, and Vegetables.

PORTLAND, Jan. 21.—Trade in poultry continues dull and there is a small prospect for any improvement before the end of the week. Receipts yesterday and today were light, but at the same time, the demand generally was far from strong, indicating that at the time of the recent slump retailers stocked up in a large way. For hens and chickens prices are the same as yesterday. Dressed turkeys are weaker, quoted at 16 to 17 cents, while live stock is hardly wanted at all. Ducks move in a slow way, and there is practically no demand for geese. Eggs are weak and lower, quotations for ranch stock being 25 to 27 cents.

Grain, Flour, Feed.

Wheat—Club, 85c; Valley, 85c; blue-stem, 85c; red Russian, 81c.
Oats—Producers' prices: White, 32c; gray, 27c.
Hay—Valley timothy, \$18@19; Eastern Oregon, \$20@22; clover, \$13; chest, \$13; alfalfa, \$13; grain hay, \$14@15.
Millfeed—City bran, 25c; country bran, 24c; shorts, \$24.50; country shorts, \$26; chop, \$18; middlings, \$29.
Flour—Hard wheat, patent, \$4.95; straight, \$4.40; Graham, \$4.50; rye, \$5; whole-wheat flour, \$4.75; Valley flour, \$4.40; Dakota, \$6.40@6.60; Eastern rye, \$6.50; Pillsbury, \$7; Corvallis, \$4.40.
Rye—\$1.25@1.30 per cwt.
Grain Bags—Domestic, 85c; Calcutta, 85c.
Corn—Whole, 32c; cracked, 33c per ton.
Buckwheat—\$36 per ton.
Barley—Producers' prices: Brewing, \$28.50; feed, \$27; rolled, \$30@31.
Cereal Foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, 88c; lower grade, \$6.50@7.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 49-lb. sacks, \$8.50; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 49-lb. sacks, \$8.50 per bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.50 per bale; split peas, \$4.25 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25; pearl barley, \$4.50 per 100 lbs.; 50-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$5.20 bbl.

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)—D. G., \$5.60; XX, \$5.50; beet, \$5.40; Golden C, \$5; extra, C, \$5.40; powdered, \$5.50; boxes, 50 cwt., fruit or berry sugar, \$5.60; boxes, 50 cwt., advance over sack basis (less 1c. if paid for in 15 days).
Coffee—Mocha, 24@25c; Java, fancy, 25@26c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Arabica, \$16.63 cwt.; Lion, \$15.88 cwt.; Colombia coffee, 14c lb; Salvador, 11 1/2c @14 1/2c.
Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.25; Southern Japan, \$4@5 1/2c; broken, 5c; head, fancy, 7c; choice, 7c.
Sago and Tapioca—Scarc, 6 1/2c.
Figs—White, per pound, 6@7c; black, 6@7c.
Provisions—Hams, large, 12 1/2c; small, 12 1/2c; picnic, 6c; boiled hams, 22c; boiled picnic, 18c; breakfast bacon, fancy, 22c; English, 16c; dry salted short clears, 10 1/2c; backs, 10 1/2c.
Dates—Golden, 60-lb. boxes, 6@6 1/2c; 1-lb. packages, 8c; Fard, 15-lb. boxes, \$1.40 box.
Raisins—Loose muscatels, 3-crown, 10c; 2-crown, 9 1/2c; bleached seedless Sultanas, 10@13c; unbleached seedless Sultanas, 8 1/2c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$2.25; 2-crown, \$2.10.

Canned Salmon—Columbia River, 1-lb. talls, \$2.00; 2-lb. talls, \$2.95; fancy, 1-lb. flats, \$2.10; 2-lb. flats, \$1.30; fancy, 1-lb. ovals, \$2.85; Alaska talls, pink, 95c; red, \$1.35; nominal, 2s, talls, \$2.25.
Salt—Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 60-3s, \$2.25; bales of 40-4s, bala, \$2.25; bales of 15-10s, bale, \$2.25; bala, 50s, fine, ton, \$17.50; bala, 50c; genuine Liverpool, \$20; bala, 50s. 1/2 ground, \$13; 100s, ton, \$12.50; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb. cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 3-lb. cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool lump, per ton, \$20.50.
Lard—Kettle-rendered, tierces, 11 1/2c; tubs, 12c; 50s, 12c; 20s, 12 1/2c; 10s, 12 1/2c; 5s, 12 1/2c. Standard pure: Tierces, 1c less; compound, tierces, 8c; leaf, 13c.
Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 18c; fibbers, 17c; Brazils, 20c; Pecans, 19@20c; filberts, 17c; Brazil, 20c; Pecans, 23c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 8 1/2c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 10c; Japanese peanuts, 7c; chestnuts, Italian 10c. Ohio 25c; cocoanuts, dozens, 85@90c; pine nuts, 17 1/2c.
Spices—Cloves, 19 1/2c lb; chillies, 13 1/2c per pound.
Vegetables.
Cabbage—75c@81c cwt.; cauliflower, 75 @81 doz.; celery, 85c@81 doz.; parsley, \$1.25; hot house lettuce, \$1.00@ \$1.25 box; heads, 65 cents dozen; spinach, box, \$1.25; Brussels sprouts, 8c; artichokes, 90c@81.15 doz.; okra, 35c lb.; tomatoes, \$1.25@2.00 crate; peppers, 8@14c lb.; pumpkins, \$1.25 crate; beans, green and wax, 15c lb.; egg-plant, 15c lb.; beets, \$1 per cwt.; turnips, 75c @81 per cwt.; carrots, 50c@81 per cwt. Peas, 10c lb.
Sweets, 2 1/2c@3c per pound.
Hops—Wool, Hides, etc.
Hops—1907 crop, 4@7 1/2c pound.
Feathers—Geese, white, 35@40c; geese, gray or mixed, 25@30c; duck, white, 15@20c; duck, mixed, 12@15c.
Wool—Valley, 18@20c; Eastern Oregon, 12@18c, as to shrinkage.
Caucara Sagrada (chittim bark)—5 1/2c

7c per pound.
Beeswax—Good, clean and pure, 2 1/2c per pound.
Tallow—Prime, 5c; No. 2 and grease, 2@8c per pound.
Oregon Grapenoot—Per 100 lbs., \$6 @8 1/2.
Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 12 1/2c pound; dry kip, No. 1, 12c pound; dry salted one-third less; dry calf, 14c pound; salted steers, 5c pound; salted cows, 4c pound; stags and bulls, 3c pound; kip, 5c pound; calf, 7c pound; green stock, 1c less; sheepskins, shearing, 10@25c short wool, 30@40c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 50@90c; dry horses, 50c@81; dry colts, 25c; angora, 80c@81; goat, common, 10@20c.
Oils, Lead, Etc.
Coal Oil—Pearl and astral oil, cases, 13 1/2c per gallon; water white, iron barrels, 11c; coeene and extra star, cases, 21c; headlight oil, cases, 19c; iron barrels, 12c; Elaine, cases, 28c.
Fruits.
Domestic Fruits—Apples, fancy, \$1.50 @82 box; good, 75c@81.25 box; pears, 50c@81.50 box; cranberries, 85@11 per barrel.
Tropical Fruits—Lemons, \$3.50@5.00 box; oranges, new navels, \$2.25@2.75 box; grape-fruit, \$4.25 box; bananas, 5c lb.; grated, 5 1/2c lb.; pomegranates, \$2 crate; tangerines, \$2 box; pineapples, \$4@5 dozen.
Dried Fruits—Apples, 9@10c per lb.; apricots, 10@19c; peaches, 11@13c; pears, 11@14c; Italian prunes, 23@6c; California figs, white, in sacks, 5@6c per lb; black, 4 1/2@5c; bricks, 75c@82.25 per box; Smyrna, 1 1/2@20c per lb; dates, Persian, 6 1/2@7c per lb.
Produce.
Butter—Country creamery, 30@35c; city creamery, 35@37 1/2c; store, 19@20c; butter fat, 33 1/2@36c.
Eggs—Ranch, candled, 30@32c.
Cheese—Young America, 18c; Oregon (full cream), flats, 17c.
Honey—Dairy, 10 1/2@11c; amber, 12@13c; fancy white, 14@15c.
Poultry—Old roosters, 9@10c lb; hens, 13@14c lb; dressed stock, 2@3c higher than live; ducks, 14@15c lb; turkeys, live, 16@17c lb; dressed, 18@20c lb; geese, live, 9@10c lb; pigeons, old, \$1.00 per dozen; squabs, \$2@3 per dozen.

THE WORD "QUACK."

Its Origin Traced Back to the Sixteenth Century.
The original and acquired meanings of many an old word have been cleared up in the law courts. When "quack" had its turn, Sir Edward Clarke, who was probably quoting a dictionary, defined the word as "a boastful pretender to medical skill." "Quack" is undoubtedly derived by suggestion from the quacking of a duck. The quack doctor has always substituted volubility for knowledge. "Quacker" and "quacking cheat" were sixteenth century words. "Quack" in its present sense is certainly as old as 1693, when it was included in the earliest of our slang dictionaries. The original word was "quacksalver," a traveling empiric who quacked about his salves, and, according to Henley and Farmer, the dramatist Wycherly first shortened this word to "quack."
The full term, quack doctor, is found at least as early as 1710, when these words were used as a title to the Earl of Rochester's mountebank speech on Tower hill. This witty and profligate nobleman (he is always called witty and profligate) took it into his head to disappear from his friends and appear to the mob on Tower hill as a quack doctor. The speech he made on that occasion has been preserved, and it shows that quack oratory has gained nothing since.
It is not all printable in these polite pages, but the following passage will show its character:
"The cures I have done are as incredible as Innumerable. I cured Prester John's godmother of a stupendous dolor in her os sacrum, which had like to cost the good lady the perdition of her buckle bone. I cur'd the Empress of Boonmapo of a cramp she got in her tongue by eating pork and butter'd parsnips. I cur'd an alderman of Grand Cairo of a scarlet, burning, raging fever, of which he dy'd. I cur'd the Emperor of Morocco, who lay seven years sick of the plague. I cur'd him in forty-two minutes so that he danced the serabrand, flipfap and Somerser to the admiration of his whole court. For my pains he presented me with 6,000 Hungarian ducats and a Turkish cymeter. Verbum sat sapient! No cure, no money."
I doubt very much whether Sir Edward Clarke was right in saying that the word "quack" was revived by Carlyle after it had died out. So useful a word is not likely to have been dropped, though in Carlyle's vocabulary of denunciation it certainly took on a new importance. It was from a court of law, by the way, that Carlyle obtained the word "gig," which, with ferocious glee, he never ceased to use as a symbol of smug respectability. The trial of Thurtell at Hertford assizes for the murder of Mr. Wear produced the following dialogue:
"What sort of person was Mr. Wear?"
"He was always a most respectable person."
"What do you mean by respectable?"
"He kept a gig."
Carlyle's sardonic humor seized on this, and ever after when he was storming at respectabilities and unrealities "gigs" were not far from his mind. He even applied the word "gigmanity" to those classes of society which held the "gig" ideal.—John O'London in London Tatler.

THE WORD "QUACK."

An Oversight.
When Chappie got up the other morning he wandered around his apartments in his pretty pink pajamas, the very picture of woe.
"What's the matter, sir?" inquired his valet.
"I don't know, Alphonse," he groaned. "I passed a most unhappy night."
Alphonse looked him over carefully.
"Oh, sir," he exclaimed, "I know what was the matter. The trousers of your pajamas were not creased. You must be more careful, sir. Those I had prepared for you were hanging across the foot of the bed."—Bobeman.
Her Compliment.
It is the aim of Mrs. Hall to compliment her friends on every possible occasion, yet, strange to say, she does not always please them.
"Did you like my gown at the reception the other evening?" asked an acquaintance, and Mrs. Hall was ready with her beaming smile.
"My dear," she said, with a cordial pressure of the hand, "it was a dream! You looked lovely! I said to my husband, 'Is that—no, it can't be—' and then I saw it was. But, do you know, I scarcely recognized you."
Clever Woman.
She—Don't you think a woman is clever enough to do any work that a man can? He—She's smarter than that. Why, she's clever enough to make the man do the work and give her the benefit of it.—London Telegraph.
Not Lazy.
"And you say the public can be separated from its money?"
"Without effort."
"Oh, I am perfectly willing to expend some effort, providing the trick can be done."—Washington Herald.

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Then for dinner there is the corn pone, large, brown and hot from the oven, ready to be seasoned with a sauce of butter and washed down with freshly churned buttermilk, with an accompaniment of cabbage or collards or turnip salad or new snap beans. If for any reason the corn pone is not desirable, though the farmer cannot imagine anything that can take its place with a healthy and an expectant appetite, there are the dumplings to fall back on, the dumplings boiled with a mess of greens. This dish is a time and space saver, and there is also a butter saver. The dumplings should never by any chance be allowed to grow cold before serving. For supper there is the hooecake, which should be of a generous thickness, and it should be eaten with gravy distilled from the juices of a country cured ham, or, if you please, a dish of mush and milk. And then, the day's work being over and done with, the tired man or woman and the children, weary with play, may fall on their couches and forget in sweet and dreamless slumber the grisly troubles of the day.—Joel Chandler Harris in Uncle Remus' Magazine.

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